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RESPONSE TO OCTOBER 22, 2007 OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 22, 2007 in connection with the above-identified application. A reply to the Office Action was originally due November 22, 2007. Authorization for payment of the fee for a five month extension of time, extending the due date for reply to April 22, 2008, accompanies this paper. Accordingly this paper is being timely filed.

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